



*CGB-CC-0521*

**Victorious Ministries International**  
*Pastor Tony Smith, Overseer*

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December 28, 2011

Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Attn: Disability Rights Office, Room 3-B431  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter serves as our petition to request continued receipt of closed captioning exemption for Victory Ministries International, also known as Victorious Ministries International (Case Identifier: CGB-CC-0521). Victory Ministries is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization and it would be economically burdensome to provide closed captioning. Therefore, we are seeking exemption from closed captioning requirements.

While researching various options, we discovered in researching closed captioning options that it would be an excessive strain on the ministry to either outsource the process, at a cost of \$25,000 annually, or to purchase the equipment to complete the work ourselves (as well as training to use the equipment). Please see the attached quotes we received from two companies.

Our television ministry broadcasts, which include, INSIDE VICTORY, CONVERSATIONS and MAN UP, have impacted the lives of many families and have been funded by the financial gifts of Victory Ministries' members. However, membership contributions have gone down significantly in the past year. We do not receive an outside financial support and our efforts in seeking outside financial support have not been fruitful.

We appreciate your time and consideration for continued exemption status caused by an undue burden for Victory Ministries and look forward to your response.

Very truly yours,

Schavonna Williams  
Media Department  
Victory Ministries

**Administration Offices**  
Victorious Ministries International  
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FINANCE OFFICE

December 27, 2011

Federal Communications Commission  
Attn: Disability Rights Office, Room 3-B431  
9300 East Hampton Drive  
Capitol Heights, MD 20743

RE: CGB-CC-0521

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to acknowledge that Victory Ministries International, also known as Victorious Ministries International, is a 501(c)3 organization and receives its only source of financial support from the contributions of its members.

However, over the past year membership attendance has declined and therefore, our contributions have suffered greatly. At this time any additional expense will cause hardship to our ministry.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Cheryl Hair  
Finance Officer  
410.433.8066



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Cheryl Cummings  
Victorious Ministries  
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QTY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	EXTENDED
	<b>Closed Captioning and Editing workstation</b>		
1	Mac Pro Two 2.4GHz Quad-Core Intel Xeon "Westmere" (8 cores) Memory: 12GB (6X2GB) Graphics: ATI Radeon HD 5870 1GB Hard Drive - Bay 1: 1TB 7200-rpm Serial ATA 3Gb/s Hard Drive - Bay 2: 2TB 7200-rpm Serial ATA 3Gb/s Hard Drive - Bay 3: 2TB 7200-rpm Serial ATA 3Gb/s Optical Drive: One 18x SuperDrive Apple Magic Mouse Apple Keyboard with Numeric Keypad (English) / User's Guide	\$4,749.00	\$4,749.00
1	AppleCare Protection Plan - Mac Pro	\$249.00	\$249.00
1	Apple LED Cinema Display (27-inch flat panel) - requires MDP	\$999.00	\$999.00
1	AJA Kona LHi SD/HD Analog/Digital PCI Express Capture Card	\$1,495.00	\$1,495.00
1	Final Cut Studio 3	\$999.00	\$999.00
1	Mac Caption Web Plus	\$3,995.00	\$3,995.00
1	One Day of Installation and Training	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00

COMMENTS

PRODUCT TOTAL	\$14,486.00
TAX	
SHIPPING	
TOTAL	\$14,486.00
PAID DEPOSIT	
AMOUNT DUE	\$14,486.00
<b>IMMEDIATE AMOUNT DUE</b>	<b>\$14,486.00</b>

**Please make all deposit checks payable to Chesapeake Systems Inc.**

This Quote will be honored for fifteen days from this date. All prices above include a cash discount. Any labor charge is an estimate and may be changed when the job is completed. All additional labor charges will be explained at the time of the job to our contact person. The remaining balance (after deposit) will be due when the job is complete or within your terms period as noted above. If you terms are "Prepaid", then these items will NOT be ordered or delivered until a) a check (or other payment) is received; or b) other payment arrangements are confirmed by Chesapeake Systems. By signing below, you agree to purchase the equipment above for the listed prices and confirm your understanding of the terms for payment as explained. The safekeeping and backing up of data is always the responsibility of the owner of that data. Under no circumstances is Chesapeake Systems ever liable for any client's data loss. You also agree to pay 20% of the amount due if you cancel your order. Standard paid deposit amount on quotes over \$1000 is 30%. There is also a 30% restocking fee for returns.

**IMPORTANT: NO ORDERS WILL BE PLACED UNTIL CHESAPEAKE RECEIVES SIGNED QUOTE OR PO!**

ESTIMATED Business Days to Deliver After Approval:	10
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Signature

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### **PROPOSAL FOR A CAPTIONING SYSTEM**

**To:**

**Cheryl Cummings**

[cherylcummings@pastortonysmith.com](mailto:cherylcummings@pastortonysmith.com)

Hello Cheryl:

I can summarize three proposals which we talked about at different time. Actual cost of CaptionMaker-DV + Naturally Speaking Recognition software is \$6000 + \$600 = \$6600. Please choose one option.

1. You can pay \$5400 for Caption Maker-DV + Naturally Speaking Recognition software up front.
2. You can pay \$6000 for Caption Maker-DV + Naturally Speaking Recognition software in 3 equal installments spread out over 3 months.
3. You can pay \$6600 for Caption Maker-DV + Naturally Speaking Recognition software in 10 equal installments spread out over 10 months.

Note: Every month, you need to contact us and after you make the payment, we will reactivate the software over the internet for another month until the payment is complete.

This proposal is valid for 90 days.

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